Rice University
Department of Economics
Econ 593 - 594 Workshop in Economics

Objectives and expectations

The purpose of Econ 593 (Fall) and Econ 594 (Spring) is to have students be exposed to advanced topics in macroeconomics, microeconomics, econometrics and applied microeconomic theory, presented through guest lectures by leading researchers. Section 1 is Business & Economics Workshop, Section 2 is Applied Microeconomics Workshop, Section 3 is Econometrics Workshop.

The students are expected to attend the section they register regularly. They are also strongly encouraged to meet the seminar speakers individually to practice discussing their own research.

Learning outcomes

- Identifying active areas of research
- Learning to get information out of seminars especially when the topic is outside the student's own research area
- Participating in discussions, asking questions